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Attn: Mail Stop RCE

Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
Application No. 10/809,838; Filed: March 26, 2004
For: **Large Gain Range, High Linearity, Low Noise MOS VGA**
Inventor: Arya R. Behzad
Our Ref: 1875.138000G

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. PTO-2038 Credit Card Payment Form for \$1,120.00 to cover:
\$330.00 for extension of time fees (under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(2)) (\$120.00 was previously paid to cover extension of time fees (under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1));
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2. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(1);
3. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal; and
4. Return postcard.

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